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For: **Photocatalytic Reactor and Method for Destruction of Organic Air-Borne Pollutants**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PCT
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and first action by the Examiner, please amend the present application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend ~~claims 3, 4, 6, 12, 13, and 25~~ as follows:

Claim 3, line 1, delete "or 2".

4. (Amended) The photoreactor of claim 1 [any one of claims 1 to 3], wherein said irradiating means comprises a catalyst imbedded within a supported transparent fibrous mesh.